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ROBERT K. EMRICH

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**GROUP ART UNIT: 3671** 

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"THIS APPLICATION CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/411,762, 09/19/02" as identified in the attached executed declaration filed February 6, 2004.

If a fee is due in connection with this request, please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL **APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), dated December 22, 2003, Applicant submits herewith the statutory basic filing fee of \$770, the missing parts surcharge of \$130, the executed Declaration, and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application. The period for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application expires on February 22, 2004, and thus these fees and the Declaration are timely filed. The fees are calculated as follows:

Total Fees	\$1640
Total number of claims over 20 (22 x \$18)	\$396
Total independent claims over 3 (4 x \$86):	\$344
Surcharge for submitting the filing fee and Declaration subsequent to the filing date	\$130
Basic Filing Fee	\$770

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It is believed that all Patent and Trademark Office requirements have now been fully met and it is respectfully requested that the above-identified patent application be forwarded for examination.

Please charge the filing of this paper and any additional fee, which may be associated to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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